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thence he had received a passport from the
Northward for the ~~pass~~ and God of Virginia
and a Letter from Mr John Moore ^{Collector} at
Philadelphia dated the 9th of July 1715,
which he was ~~pleas'd~~ ^{pleas'd} to send ^{you} giving the
great Distress his Majesty's Subjects at South Carolina
are now in, the Women and Children being
retreated to Charlestown, which is on the
Hoptall, and that if that place be not
sincerely secured it must be given up.

He says also acquaints the Board that our soldiers
Indians have been out but are come in
again, so that it may be supposed they have had
some Correspondence with other Indians.

Whereupon he says he had ordered and sent
four horse Army with proportionable Ammunition
to Grand George's County.

And desires the Advice of the Board whether
it be not expedient a Regiment of Army
should be sent to Baltimore & Baltimore County.

To which the Board do answer they think it very
advisable such Army should be sent to the
said County.

He says also acquaints the Board that the Coy was
sent to Blakely on our Agent in England to purchase
500 more of Army Ammunition according to his